

Disappearance of the Outside

**Edmonton, Alberta,
in the time of COVID-19**

2020

December

University of Alberta campus

Butterdome area

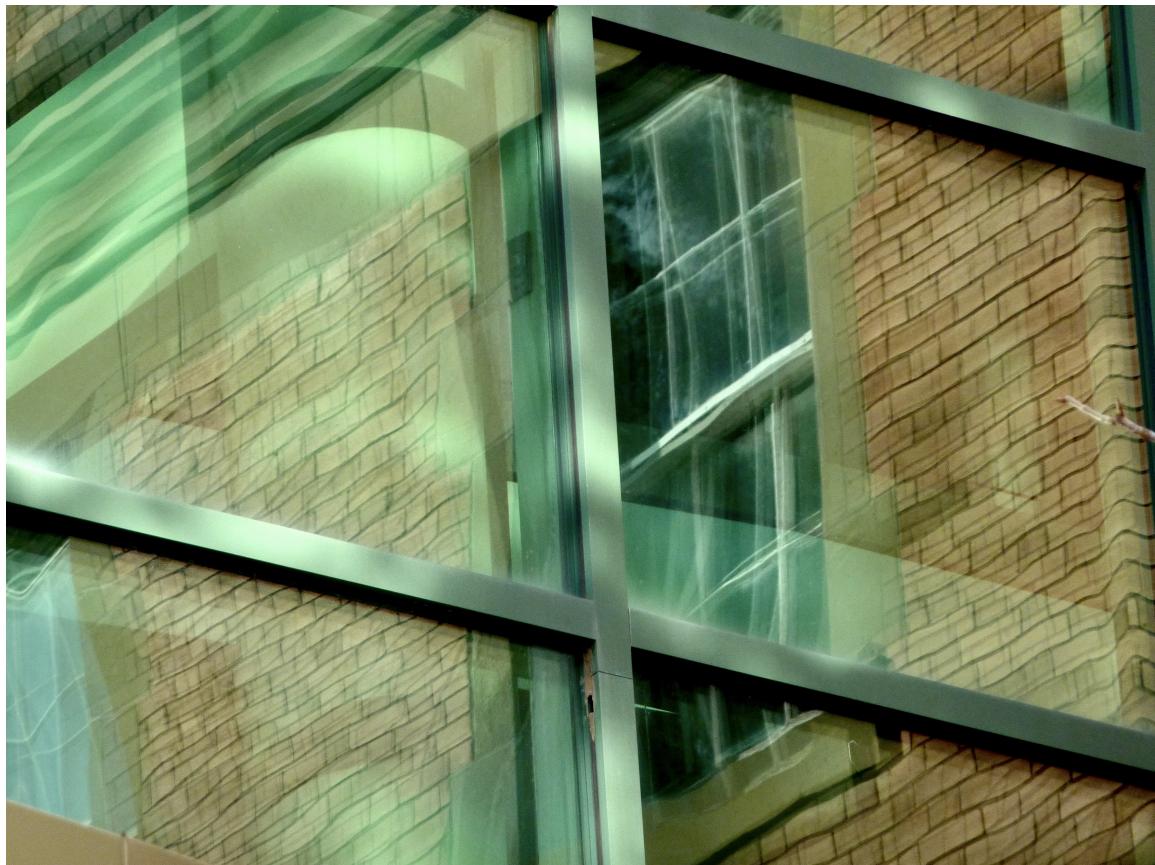
Lesley Battler

BatCave Publications | Edmonton, Alberta
© 2023 by Lesley Battler

University of Alberta campus



increasingly inaccessible



during a lucid dream



our mind's seclusion



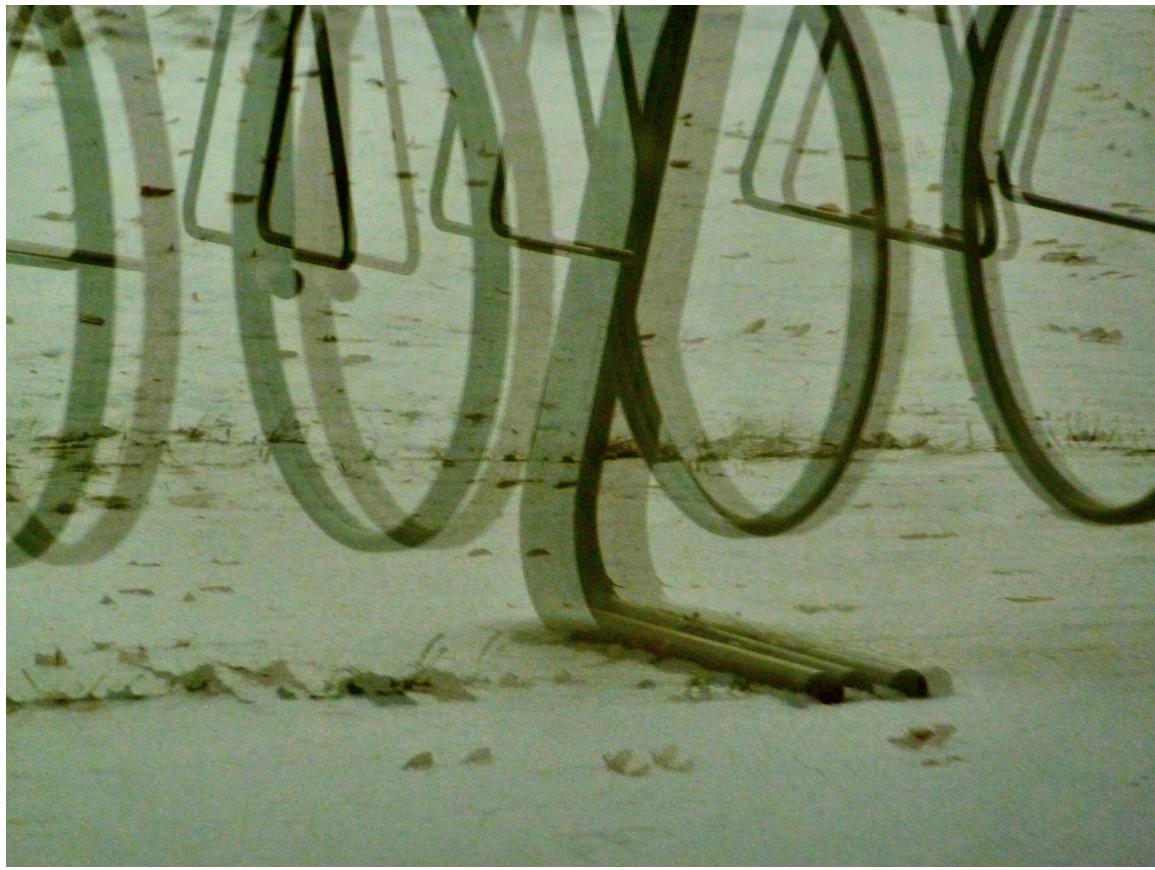
lines of melodic convergence



between what was and what is



a series of uncertain futures



half-believed ghosts



living in two worlds



exerting a great force

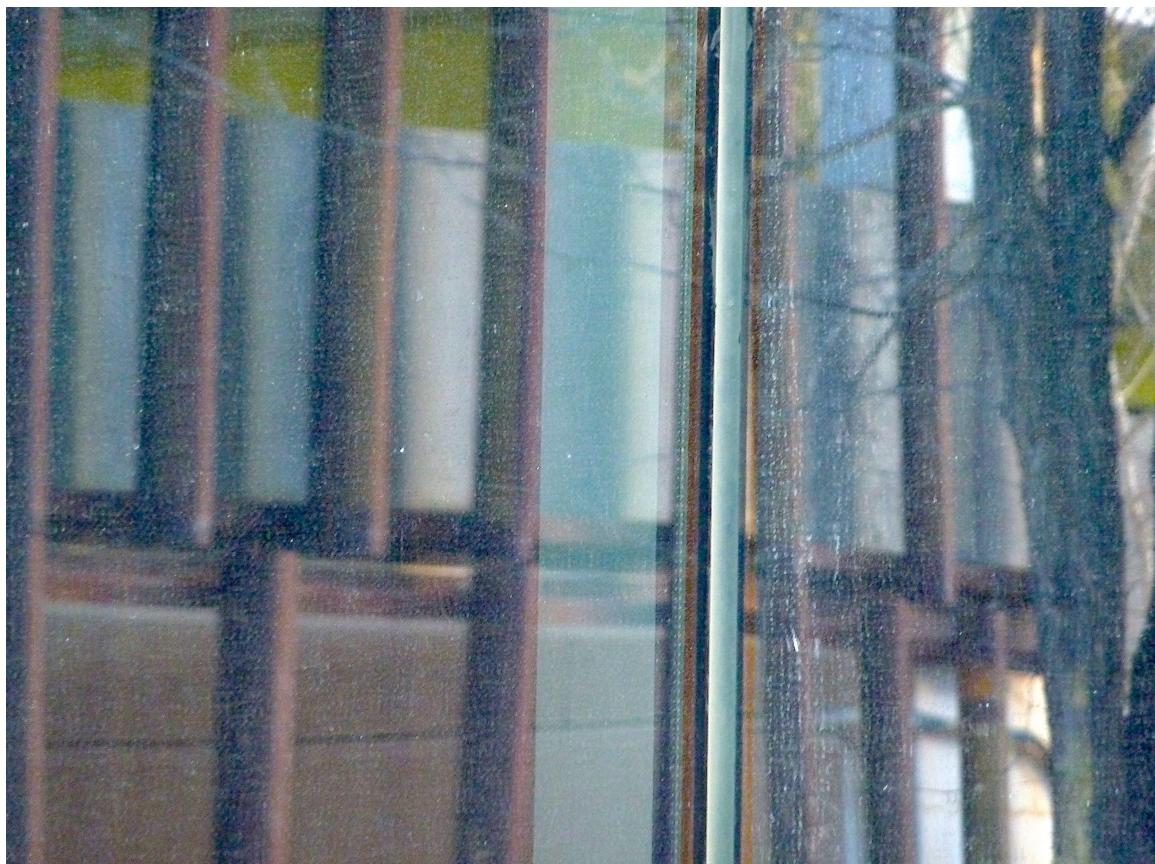


long pilgrimage

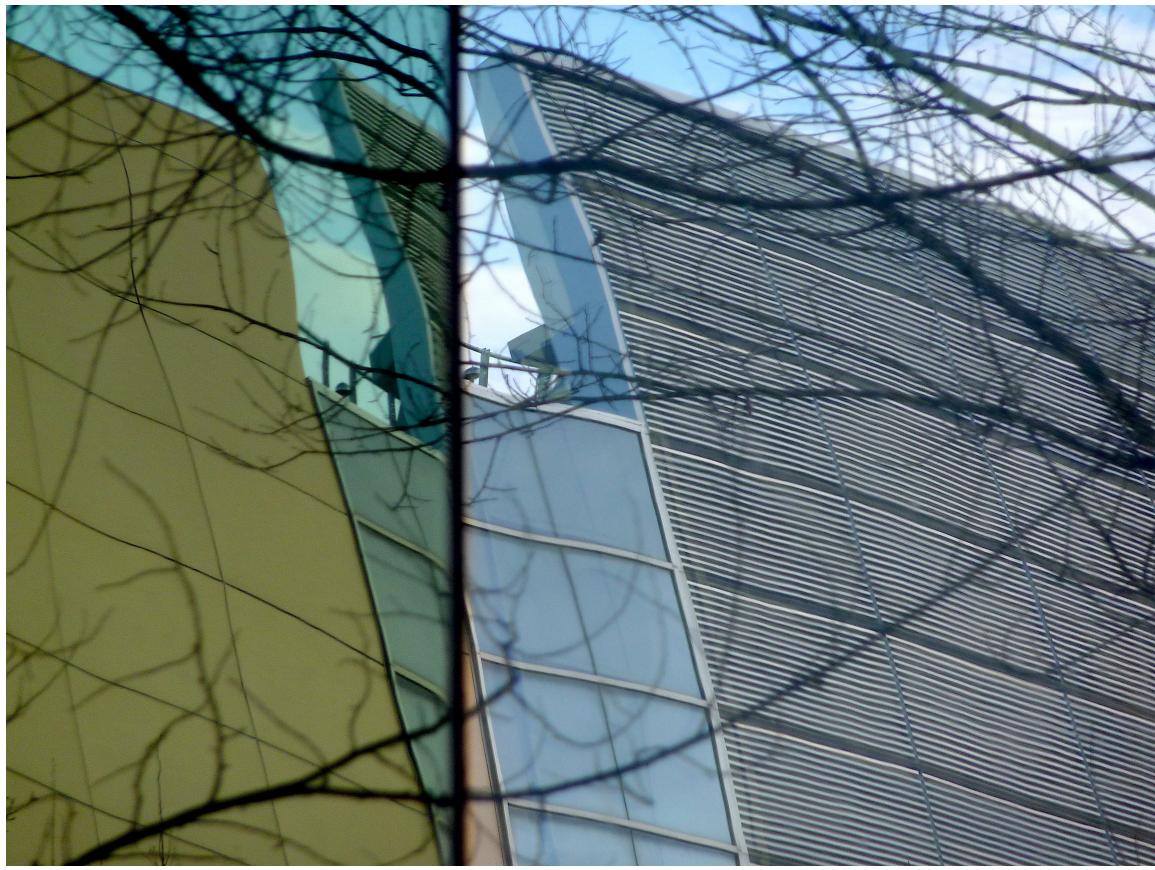


harbinger

Butterdome area



all your disbelief



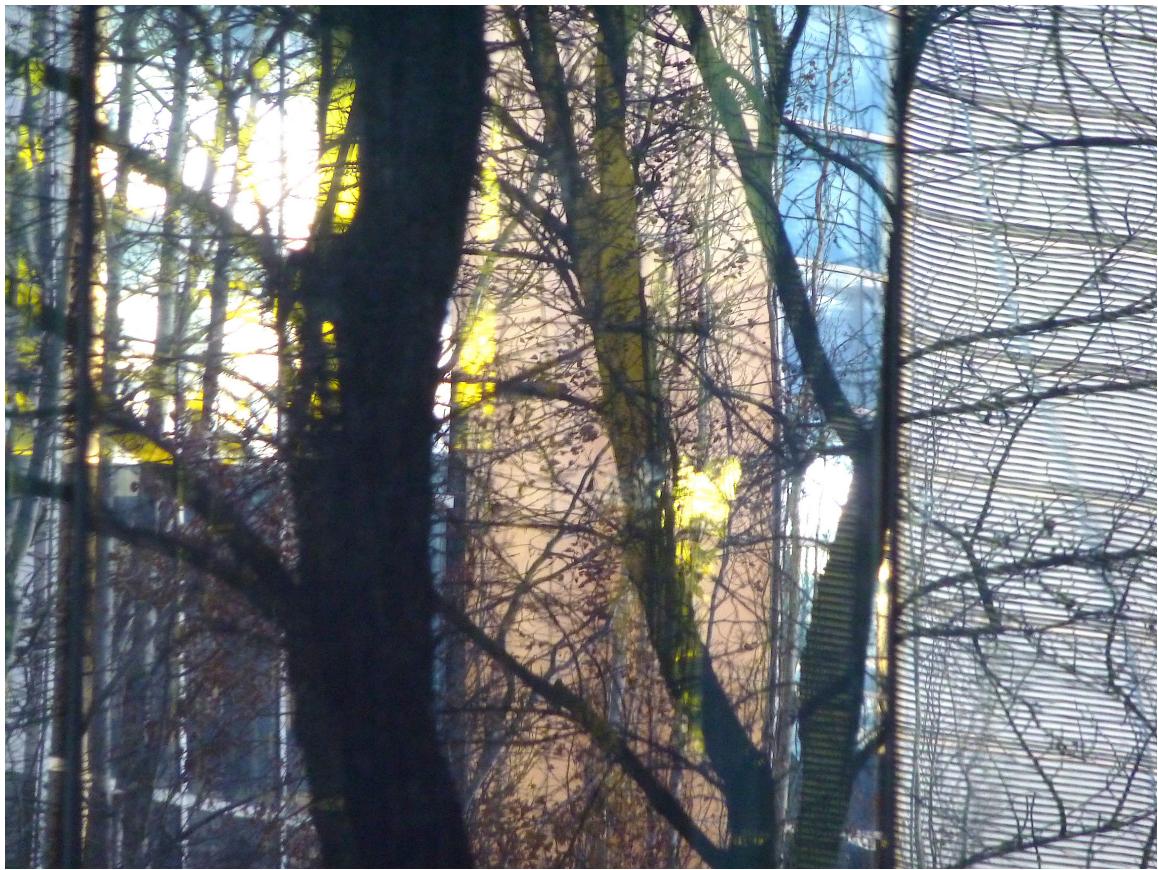
breaking the syllables apart



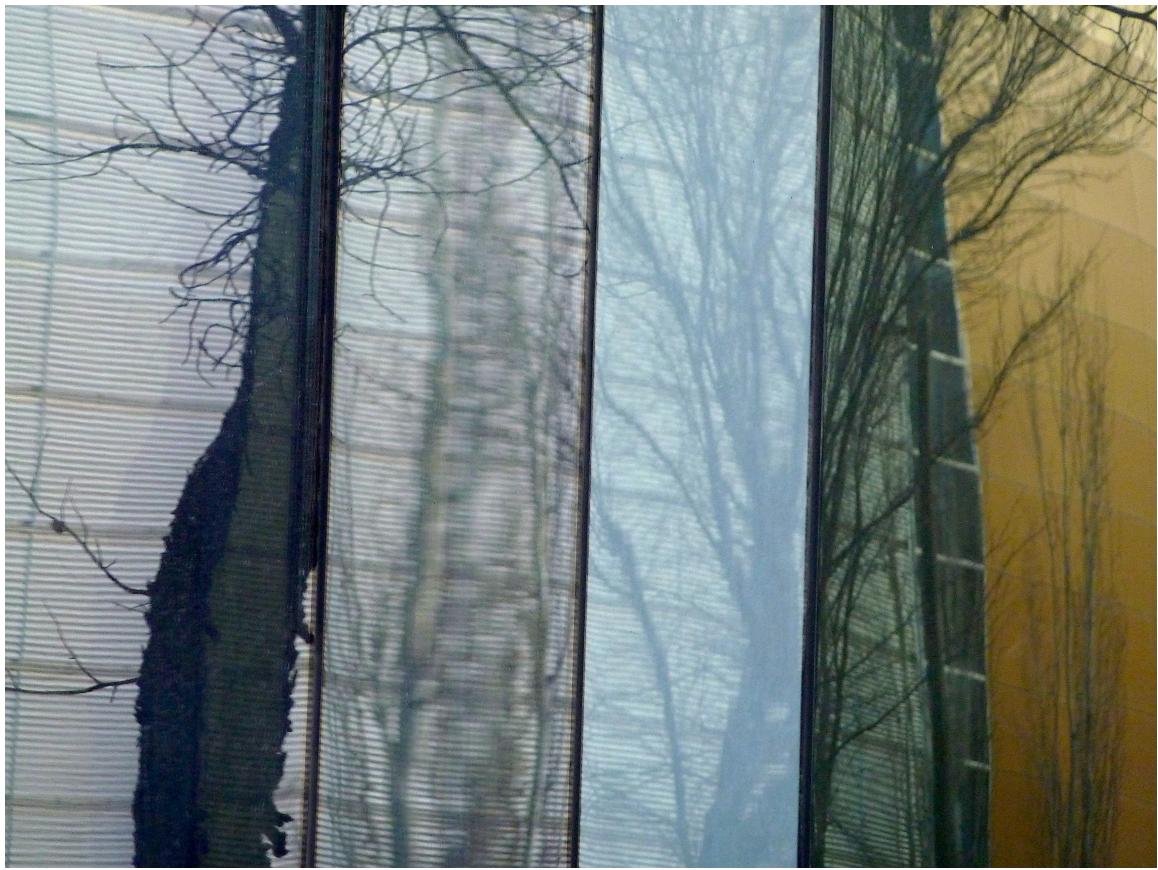
fable to dream



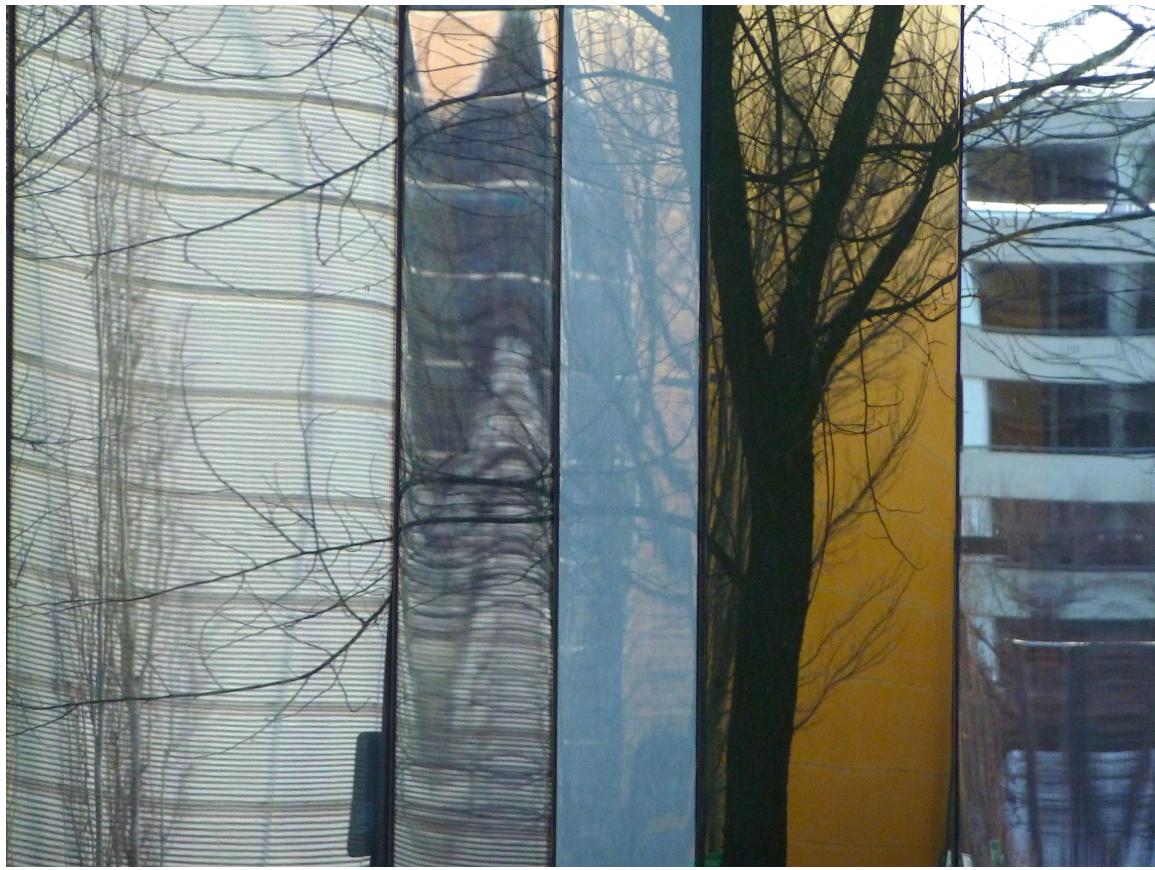
flash of midrash



some unfathomable source



stations fading into the unknown



fluid sound patterns



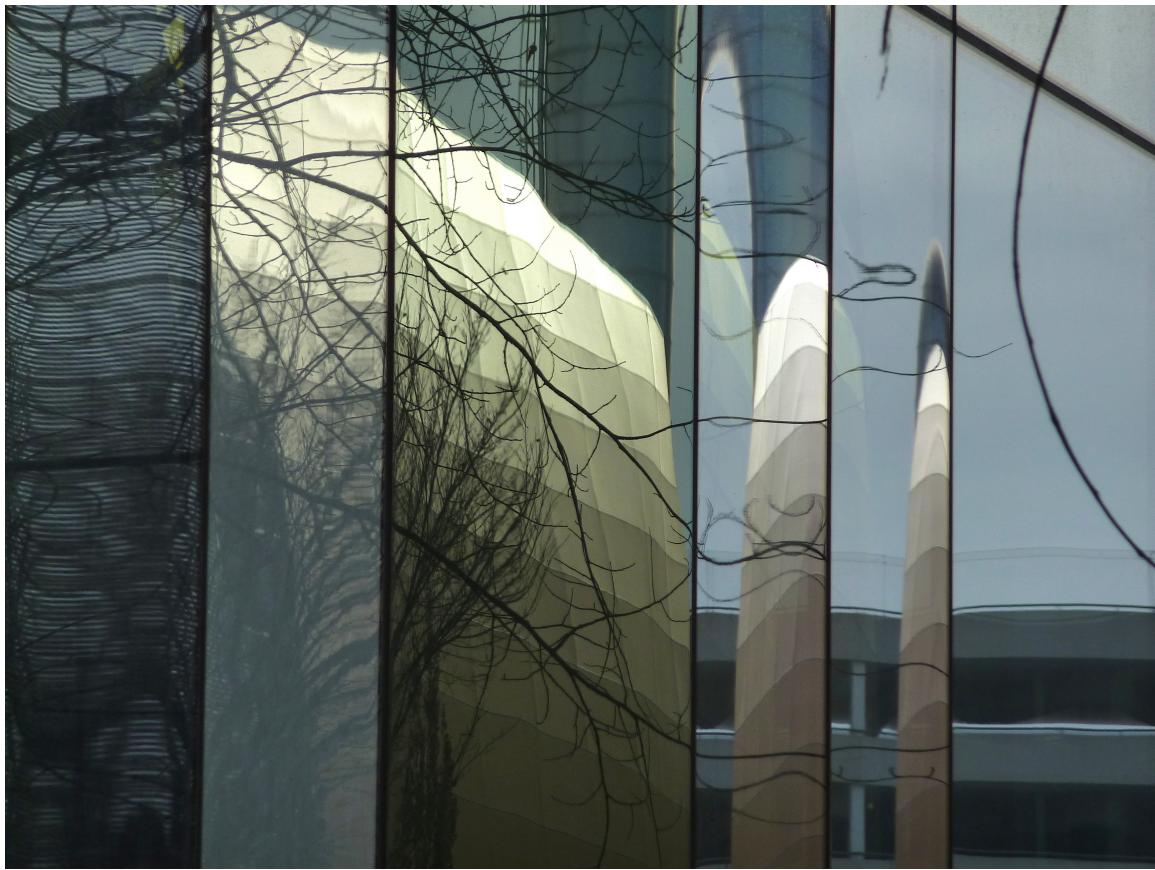
new modes of communication



atmospherics in the light



sphere of influence



artefact



a not yet understood return



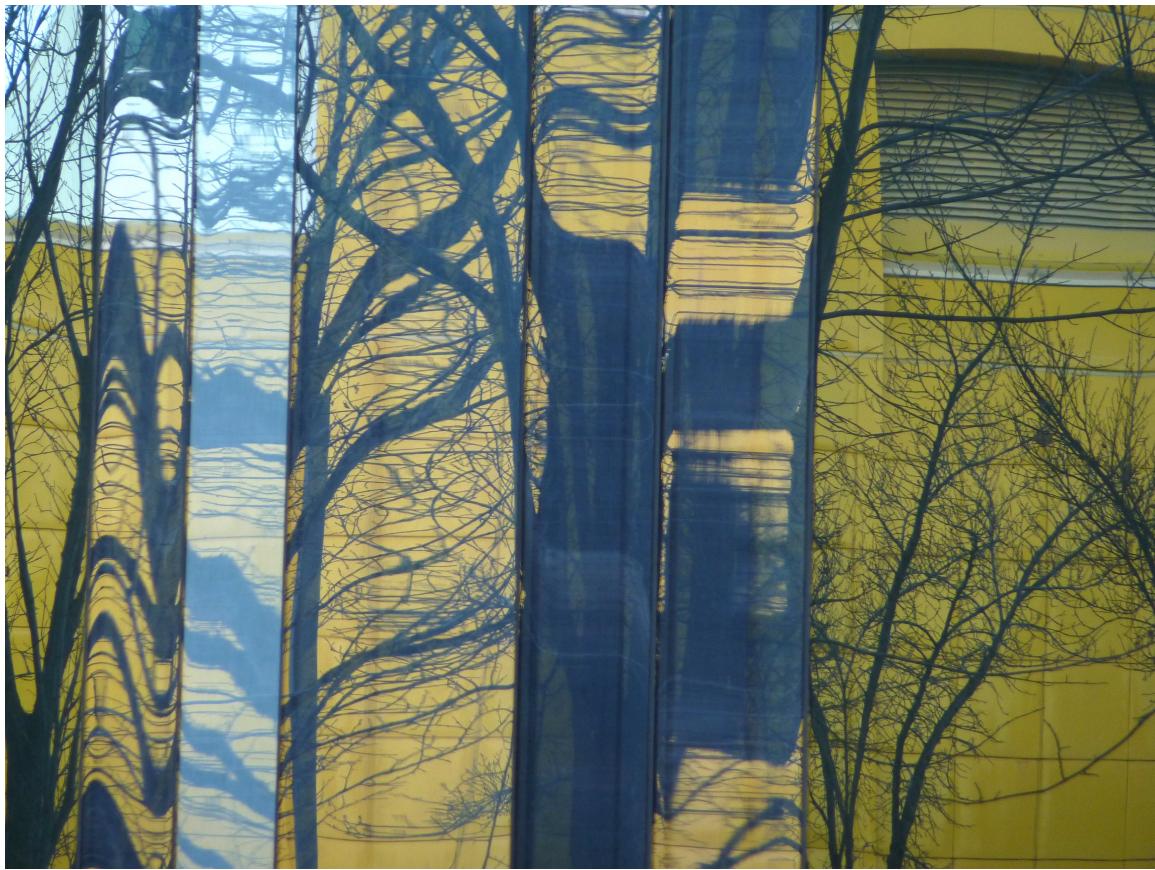
glimpse of a pre-monarchic age



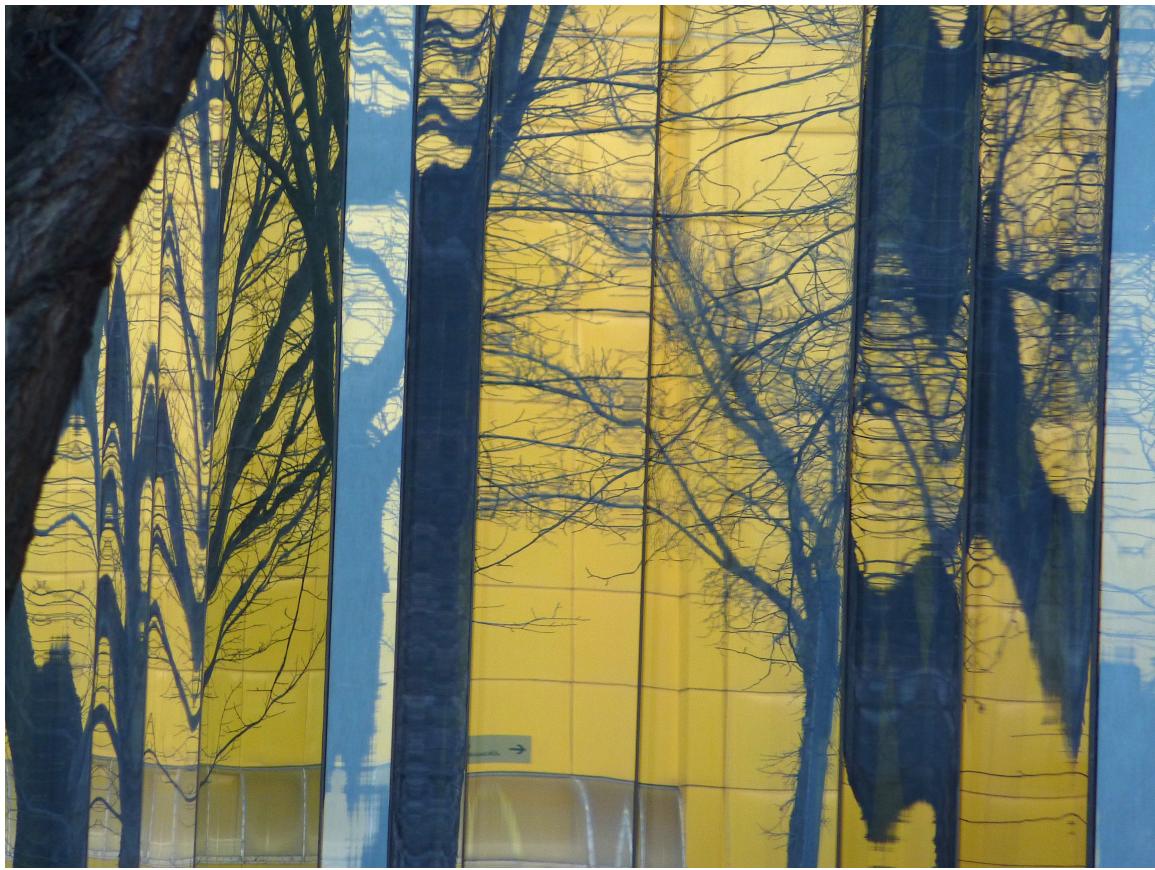
moment before speech



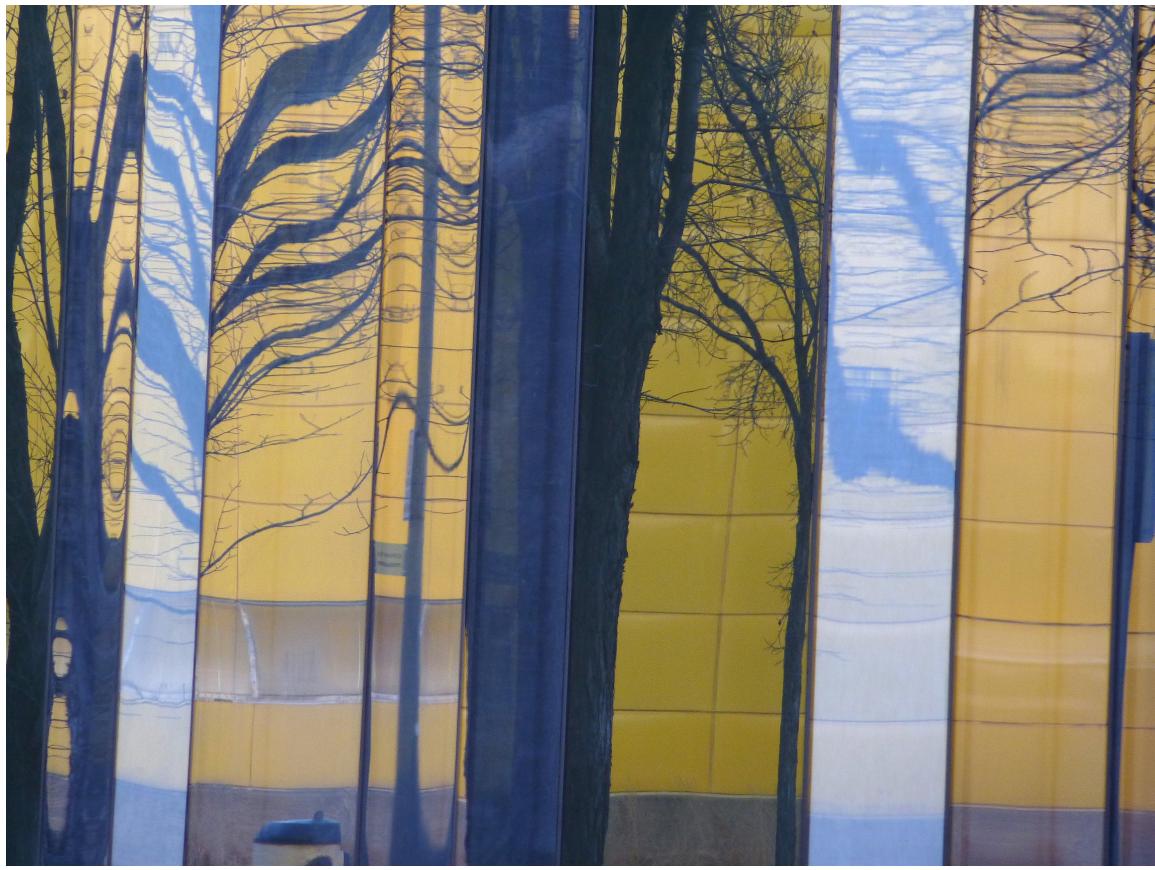
return of extant inscriptions



written in the wind



the new cursive



thousand year appearance

Next installment:

January 2021

Downtown

University of Alberta campus